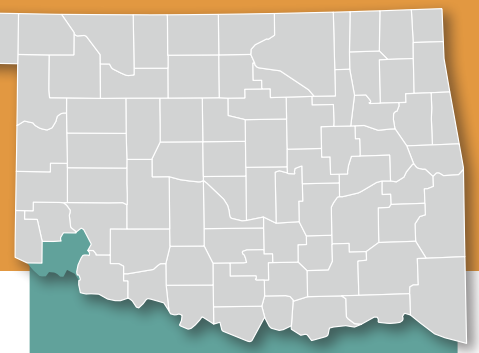


# JACKSON COUNTY

## Drug Overdose Facts



### DRUG OVERDOSE FAST FACTS\*

Jackson County Data (2016-2020)

- There were 26 unintentional drug overdose deaths in Jackson County.
- Jackson County had the 24th highest death rate in the state.
- Males were 37% more likely to die than females.
- Adults aged 35-54 had the highest rate of death.
- More than one out of three (38%) people who died had a history of mental health problems.
- Nearly two-thirds (65%) of people who died had a history of substance abuse.
- Learn the warning signs of an overdose — 46% of deaths occurred at a home or apartment.

\*Rates per 100,000 population. Some rates are based on a small number of cases and should be interpreted with caution.

Most common substances in Jackson County overdose deaths:

Methamphetamine

Morphine

Alcohol

Heroin

Hydrocodone

Methadone

### NUMBER OF UNINTENTIONAL OVERDOSE DEATHS BY TYPE OF SUBSTANCE

JACKSON COUNTY, 2016-2020

26

All unintentional drug overdoses

16

Methamphetamine

12

Opioids

<5

Benzodiazepines

0

Cocaine



**12 Oklahomans** die every week from an unintentional drug overdose

### STATE FACTS:

- From 2016-2020, more than 3,300 Oklahomans died of an unintentional drug overdose.
- From 2007-2020, the unintentional methamphetamine-related overdose death rate increased 12-fold. In 2020, methamphetamine was involved in nearly two out of three (64%) unintentional drug overdose deaths.
- From 2013-2019, the rate of unintentional prescription opioid-related overdose death decreased by 58% (501 deaths in 2013; 215 deaths in 2019).
- From 2018-2020, nearly nine out of ten (87%) drug overdose deaths were unintentional and 8% were due to suicide.

